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FIRST CONVENTION OF RETURN JUDGES

OFFICIAL COMPILATION OF THE RETURN OF PRIMARIES.

Proposition to Repeal the Crawford County Rules Is Defeated by a Close Vote—The Official Vote Does Not Alter the Results Already Announced—Morris and Penman for Commissioners and Johns and Kiefer for Auditors—Computing Returns Under New System an Arduous Task.

- FOR COMMISSIONERS. John Courrier Morris . . . 3,398 John Penman . . . 3,038 Giles Roberts . . . 1,892 W. J. Thomas . . . 1,394 S. W. Roberts . . . 948 William Franz . . . 890

Lackawanna Republicans held their first convention under the Crawford county rules yesterday in the main court room.

There was a small attendance at the opening of the session but before it was very long under way the court room was well filled.

It was just 2 p. m. when Hon. E. N. Willard, chairman of the county committee, tapped for order.

After the roll was complete the chairman announced that five districts of the county were unrepresented.

At this juncture the convention very gracefully accorded to Judge Willard by unanimous vote the privilege of the convention with the exception of that of voting.

Mr. Lowry's speech. Gentlemen of the Convention and fellow Republicans, I am very sensible to the distinguished honor which you have seen fit to confer in this choosing me from this able and intelligent body.

The Big Event of Today. This afternoon at two o'clock Professor Taylor and his orchestra will formally open the big Millinery Exposition at the Jones Lane Stone Store.

Hard Times Are Gone and prosperity is returning, when you see houses selling at such prices as we are selling this week.

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mentous events through which we have been passing. We heartily endorse his wise and patriotic policy and commend the Republic which he has so ably and faithfully sustained.

THE MONEY PLANK. We commend the faithfulness with which the Democratic administration has adhered to the sound financial principles.

HOWELL HARRIS. The resolutions were adopted with enthusiasm and then Nathan S. Davis presented the resolution to repeal the Crawford county rules.

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PREPARING FOR BIG CONVENTION

WORK OF ERECTING ARCHES HAS BEEN STARTED.

Where They Will Be Located and What They Will Look Like—Big Reviewing Stand to Be Built on Wyoming Avenue Opposite the International Correspondence Schools.

The work of decorating for the coming firemen's convention was begun yesterday when was commenced the work of placing the first of the three large arches in position at the corner of Washington avenue and Spruce street.

There are to be three of these arches and they are to be located at the following corners. Washington avenue and Spruce street, diagonally across from Meary's building to Clarke, the florist; Lackawanna and Wyoming avenues, diagonally from Jones Lane's Sons to First National bank; Lackawanna and Franklin avenues, diagonally from the Scranton House to the Moore building.

The arches are to be made of wood and will be thirty-seven feet in height in the center. There will be a tower at the corner about twenty-five feet high. The wooden framework will be covered with white cloth and this will be handsomely decorated with flags.

There will also be a dozen arches at various points in the central city made of four ladders each. These will be trimmed with flags and evergreens and will be illuminated at night with lanterns.

As the decorators of the city are in New York at the present time decorating for Dewey's reception and will not return before Friday, the work of trimming the various buildings cannot be begun just yet.

It has been decided to erect seats for the general public on Wyoming avenue directly opposite the International Correspondence schools, in front of the parade in which the sessions of the convention are to be held.

The following companies have signified their intention of coming here for the parade, in addition to the long list printed in "The Tribune":

Stevens Fire Co., Nantuxke, 22 men and hose. Lone Home Co., Nantuxke, 21 men. Thos. C. Bache Hose Co., Nantuxke, 21 men.

Phoenix Hook and Ladder Co., Potomac, 30 men and drum corps. Philadelphia S. F. E. Co., Potomac, 30 men.

Hibernia Fire Co., Albion, 25 men. Lehigh Hook and Ladder Co., South Bethlehem, 40 men. Albert Fire Co., St. Clair, 27 men.

Southward Hose Co., Catsaunqua, 40 men and drum corps. Excelsior Hose Co., Bethlehem, 27 men.

Councilman Fred Phillips of the Neptune and a member of the executive committee, went to Wilkes-Barre yesterday to learn how many companies were coming here from that city.

Dr. Joseph Parry London Concert and Operatic troupe, Lyceum theatre Friday, Sept. 29. See posters. Tickets, \$1, 75, 50 and 25 cents.

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OPENING SOCIAL SESSION.

South Scranton Council, Knights of Columbus Entertain.

The formal opening of the social season of Scranton council, No. 280, Knights of Columbus, occurred last evening in the rooms of the council in the Economy building, Wyoming avenue.

The event was a progressive euchre party for members of the council and visiting knights. William Gurrell won first prize, a silver-mounted umbrella. John R. Nallin won the second prize, a valuable book.

The council received an invitation from San Salvador council, No. 174, of New York city, to be its guests during the Dewey celebration.

DR. PARRY'S CONCERT. Will Be Given in the Lyceum Friday Evening.

The concert-givers of this city can look forward to a great treat at the Lyceum Friday evening, when Dr. Parry's famous singers will appear.

The artists are Madame Ashworth Hughes, soprano; Maudwyn Humphreys, tenor; Miss Hannah Jones, contralto; Meurig James, baritone.

HOME FOR THE FRIENDLESS. The subscription list of the Home for the Friendless has received the addition of \$50 from Mr. F. E. Platt.

A recent donation to the Home was a load of fine vegetables from the Court Street Methodist church.

The managers of the Home for the Friendless will visit Mrs. W. H. Perkins at her country place in Dalton today.

Elm Park Church Organ Concert. On Thursday evening of this week Prof. J. Alfred Pennington, organist of Elm Park church, and director of the Conservatory of Music, will give an organ concert in Elm Park church, assisted by Mr. F. R. Williams, the solo tenor of Dr. Parry's church.

Gerson's Millinery Opening. Today, tomorrow and Friday, Gerson's millinery opening.

Big Production at the Academy. Katherine Rober Company will present "Killarney" for matinee till this afternoon and "A Nutmeg Match" for tonight's performance at the Academy of Music.

P. O. S. of A. A special meeting of Washington Camp, No. 175, will be held Thursday evening, Sept. 28.

Grand Welcome to Admiral Dewey. New York, September 29th and 30th, The Central Railroad of New Jersey will place on sale excursion tickets to New York and return at reduced fares for this occasion.

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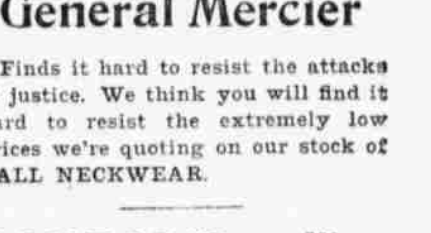
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